



THE WAY WE WERE

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

To the graduates of the Higgins Junior High School - the seventh largest junior high school in Massachusetts - I wish to extend my best wishes and congratulations.

Like graduating classes before you - you have lived in a period of many crises. During these days - you will recall the energy crisis - the gasoline shortage and the word "Watergate". However, it is through this YEARBOOK and its pictures that you will remember a Higgins Musical - a class dance - a victorious athletic team - a Science Fair or even one of our infrequent false alarms. Beyond what I have mentioned - I hope you received an education which will enable you to meet the next challenge on your educational journey.

With your Teachers, Counselors, and Unit Directors, I wish you every success as you move ahead. Our thanks go also to the Staff and Advisor who labored so long to make this YEARBOOK possible. When these days are dim and almost forgotten - take out this yearbook and look again at the tender memories of your days at the Higgins Junior High School.

Finally, go forth unafraid to meet the future, have faith in yourself, your country and your God.

Sincerely,



Edward J. O'Connor
Principal

THE WAY WE ARE

River flowing idly into sand -
Beginning nowhere that I know to drift
To nowhere I can find - I understand
Its slow, erratic force; its pointless shift.
Seagull circling near our rowboat's wake -
Demanding nothing, but a place to cast
Its truant shadow; teaching me to make
A choice in values that will work and last -
Of such are visions made. I've lived to know
A dream that's forced to being, forced to live
Before it knows itself, will never grow.
A dream has need for idleness to give
It strength to choose to be forever free.
My dreams have need for peace. So, let me be.

Marilyn E. Conde



Art Club

1st Row: J. Linton, D. Soule, L. Mercurio, C. Mogavero, L. Chalmers, M. Rainey, J. McLaughlin, G. Panagopoulos. 2nd Row: Mrs. Gregoski - advisor, S. Orlandella, D. Micalizzi, V. Twombly, M. Martinuk, C. Polizzotti, S. Bat-sinelas.



Drama Club

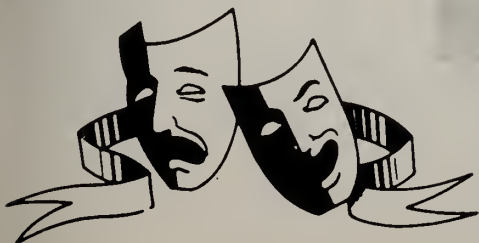


1st Row: M. O'Shea, E. Duff, N. Endslo, J. McGray, M. Devlin, D. Katcher, C. Buckley, A. McDonald, M. Bird. 2nd Row: N. Ouellette, S. Flynn, C. Brophy, S. Broughton, C. Karolides, T. Bird, M. Rizzone, D. Czarnecki. 3rd Row: B. Talbot, R. Bettano, S. Maimone, R. Murphy, L. Bergeron, B. Douglas, T. Holleran, Miss Nangle - Advisor.



Concert Band

1st Row: K. Anslono, D. Bocknick, B. Burke, B. Langley, N. Smyrnios, B. Pasquale, R. Snow, R. Baldwin, G. Dagas, S. Butcher. 2nd Row: J. Little, J. DeMille, L. Varney, S. Kramnick, B. McLaughlin, G. Soucy, J. Cunha, B. Billingsley, Mr. Rossi - advisor. 3rd Row: J. Broughton, T. Eager, J. Cole, P. Coombs, C. Olswang, W. Markowsky, J. Little, B. Snider, D. Pyburn, P. Luiz, D. Lynch, F. Tomaz.



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Ecology Club

1st Row: C. Winchell, D. Phillips, J. Linton, L. Badner, B. Robinson, L. Cody. 2nd Row: Mr. Blute, S. Hanlon, N. Hobey, P. O'Dowd, P. Alexander, J. Haigue, J. Tweed, M. Baker. Missing: J. Rousseau, D. Bailey, S. Butcher, M. Fiore, Mr. Blute - Advisor.



Band Officers



1st Row: D. Pyburn, J. Little, S. Kramnick, P. Coombs, N. Smyr-nios, J. Cunha, Mr. Rossi, L. Varney, Mr. Rossi - Advisor.

Cross Country

1st Row: R. Coombs, D. Stone, C. Karolides, S. Flynn. 2nd Row: D. Fabrizio, K. Leavitt, G. Leavitt, B. Wignall, M. Cliffe. 3rd Row: P. Slavin, P. Murphy, R. Gatti, R. Langley, R. Murphy, E. Mulherin, F. Keating.



Rock Band



Mr. Rossi - Advisor, J. Broughton, J. Cole, T. Eager, B. Lehto, B. Timmons, J. DeMille, L. Varney, K. Anslono, P. Bogash, B. Snider, J. Gardner.



1st Row: L. Murawski, C. Yonis, D. Wilson, J. Wignall, P. Linehan. 2nd Row: C. Thomson, K. Doyle, D. Schetrompf, Mrs. McLaughlin. Missing: C. Julian.

Fashion Club



Science Club



1st Row: E. Ronan, W. McLaughlin.
2nd Row: Mr. Reardon - advisor, S. Paulino, D. Lobao, B. Gregory.
Missing: R. Mistretta, M. Peabody.



Guitar Class

1st Row: T. Walsh, D. Wilson, J. Wignall, C. Yonis.
2nd Row: L. Bergeron, D. Kiley, V. Smyrnios, B. Timmons, L. Rubin. 3rd Row: G. Chronis, R. Talbot, P. Pare.



Chess Club



1st Row: Mr. Gillen - advisor, B. Musial, S. Quigley, P. O'Keefe, C. Connolly, J. Speekas. 2nd Row: K. Penney, B. Welch, B. Shea, M. Boardway, S. Orlandell, E. Noe, D. Besknick.

Math Club

1st Row: Mark Melanson, John Lynch, Gary Leavitt. 2nd Row: Mr. Lemire: advisor, Ed Noe, Scott Kramnick.



Spectrum



1st Row: N. Le Blanc, S. Davidson, J. Silva, M. Parsons. 2nd Row: M. Le Blanc, D. Bailey, P. Cronin, M. Branquinho, Miss Conde: advisor. 3rd Row: D. Pelletier, J. Sheehan, C. Gardner, C. McRae, P. Alexander, M. Quinn. Missing: L. Lynch.

1st Row: Judy Bowden, Maureen McMahon, Donna Bailey, Pam Cronin, Nancy Dolan. 2nd Row: Anne Baron, Stephanie Batsinelas, Kathy Daley, Jean Caron, Cheryl Lovate, Denise Pelletier, Sandy Ponn. Missing: Karen McGovern.

Yearbook



Homemaking Club



1st Row: D. D'Andrea, J. Pedra, S. Viscusi.
2nd Row: L. Sawall, L. Thorp. 3rd Row: K. Pelley, Mrs. Arnold - advisor, D. Luz, S. Brudreau, J. Mac Gregor. Missing: D. Price, D. Sanger, C. Saad, L. Porter, N. Endslo, D. Luz, A. Thibodeau, P. Tracchia.

1st Row: K. Whincup, K. Silverman. 2nd Row: C. Olswang, J. Pruss, M. Lynch, Mr. Colletti - advisor.

Stamp and Coin Club



Student Council



1st Row: L. Decker, P. Cronin, E. Duff, J. Lynch, B. Lehto. 2nd Row: T. Walsh, R. Mais-trallis, J. Hallinan, D. Beatrice, B. Maguire, M. O'Shea. 3rd Row: G. Chambers, J. Towey, R. Tracchia, P. Gamache, L. Lubow, R. Parianos, P. Murphy. Missing: R. Murphy, T. Hart.

Sports Club

1st Row: C. Karolides, K. Burge, D. Johnston, M. Endslow, A. Harris, E. Noe, K. Silverman, B. Maguire. 2nd Row: P. Rheume, L. Fallon, J. Lavoie, J. Pruss, S. Maimone. 3rd Row: D. Shorey, R. Bettano. Missing: D. Staid, B. Toby, B. Sullivan, B. Maguire, M. Hogan, S. Unhao, B. Sherrick, Mr. Manning - Advisor.



International Club



1st Row: W. McLaughlin, G. Soucy, J. Wignall, J. Cunha, J. Angelakis, B. Billingsley, D. Dzielcanowski, K. Benson. 2nd. Row: B. Talbot, J. Liston, J. Tweed, D. Conway, T. Crisostomo, M. Nally, K. McLaughlin, C. Tournas, D. Rourke, D. Spinale, N. Hopping. 3rd Row: J. Dunn, C. Oliviera, J. Eugenio, J. Spheekos, R. Holt, P. Gillis, R. Moskevitz, Mr. Medina.

Soccer Team

1st Row: Victor Medina, J. Cunha. 2nd: A. Cunha, A. Mello, A. Quadros, J. Medeiros, Mr. Medina Advisor.



Audio-Visual



1st Row: M. Howell, M. McDermott, M. Ruddock, M. Savoie, B. Maguire, J. DeFranco, J. Jackson, J. Towey, D. Sullivan, T. Rougier. 2nd Row: R. Whitcomb, D. Rollins, P. Horgan, J. Wong, D. Mc Duff, M. Cliffe, W. Sorenson, D. Helgran, K. Kachinski, R. Kennison, C. Mendonsa. 3rd Row: D. Marchetti, J. McOsker, M. White, S. Petrovitsis, B. Bowley, J. Sparkas, S. Maimone, T. Grave. Front: Wynne McLaughlin, Mrs. Nessen - Advisor.

Ninth Grade Chorus

1st Row: Mr. Lamy - advisor, K. Leavitt, P. O'Keefe, J. Bowden, D. Soule, N. Le Blanc, V. Myers, K. Wilke, D. Crioois, M. O'Shea, L. Varney, D. Mangold, A. Hallinan. (Right Half Only) 2nd Row: S. Slezinger, J. Osepchuk, R. Peterson, D. Mazzola, C. Hetherington, C. Gardner, J. Sullivan, P. Pare, N. Smyrnios, C. Boylan, D. Kennedy, G. Covarrubias, S. Guzofski, M. LeBlanc.



Guidance Club



1st Row: C. Saad, B. Carter, M. Sullivan, P. Buckley, S. Spaneas, B. Timmons, B. Hubley, P. Walsh, D. Gravalles, C. Webster, S. Pappadopoulos, P. Wilson. 2nd Row: Mrs. Mattorocchia - Advisor, S. Rouvalis, L. Sparkas, L. Thorpe, C. Mogavero, L. Sawall, M. Rizzone, J. Farncoft, J. Boyd, D. Rizzotti, C. Water, D. Dzielnik, C. Sullivan, R. Reid, J. Racki. 3rd Row: J. Sullivan, C. Zakas, E. Tremblay, J. Stratis, S. Routsos, M. Sweeney, C. Stone, V. Swain, V. Twombly, L. Cronin, P. Sawchuk, T. Poore, R. Christ, C. Boulas.

Faculty



1st Row: Mr. Rossi, Miss Tirro, Miss McGrath, Mr. LeShana, Mrs. Fixler, Mrs. Crocker. 2nd Row: Mr. Gillen, Mr. Solovicos, Mrs. Moberg, Mr. Andruszkiewicz, Mr. Conti, Mrs. Whelan, Mrs. Dupre, Miss Heil, Miss Golembo. 3rd Row: Miss Conde, Mr. Bertolino, Mr. Lamy, Mrs. Gregoski, Mr. Pinho, Mrs. Gold, Mr. Rogers, Mrs. Thibodeau, Mrs. Gagnon.



1st Row: Mr. Hanly, Mr. Lawless, Mr. Reardon, Mr. Bowen, Mr. Heil, Mrs. Sheehan, Mrs. Gregory, Mr. Medina. 2nd Row: Mr. Blute, Mr. Potter, Mr. Sullivan, Mrs. Carey, Mr. Kingston, Miss Donaghue.

Faculty



1st Row: Mrs. Colletti, Miss Romanowicz, Mrs. Graczyk, Mr. Godfrey, Mr. Cassidy. 2nd Row: Mr. Carr, Mrs. Brett, Mr. Nason, Mr. Manning.

Student Council Officers



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Unit Directors



MR. PURCELL - B HOUSE
MR. DONOVAN - C HOUSE
MR. FARIA - A HOUSE

Class Will

Being of totally unsound mind and body, we, the ninth graders at Higgins Junior High School, do hereby leave to the seventh and eighth graders, the following bequests:

Carl Jackson leaves his hipcheck.

The boys leave the smoke in the C house basement.

The girls leave their "gum" paper to Mrs. Gibeley.

Ruthie Peterson leaves her handwriting.

Laurie St. Pierre leaves her tails.

Mark Fabrizio leaves his need "To go" on the sports club field trips.

Bob Legault leaves his camel-like walk.

Gary Hayward leaves his knuckle sandwiches.

Rocky Hopkins leaves his legs.

Lee Pascale leaves his stories.

Patti Bernstein leaves her fancy fingers.

Judy Bowden leaves her ties and faucet handles.

Donna Budesky leaves her lollipops.

Paul Kilimonis leaves his "Raisin".

Cindy Karolides leaves with the basketball team.

Brooksie leaves running.

Scott Davidson leaves skipping.

Beth Maguire leaves her "Football Queen" title to some quiet, uninvolved eighth grader.

Kyle Leavitt leaves as Tom Jones.

Pam and "the boys" in 7th period Spanish leave laughing.

Ed Roy leaves as "THE" Bull.

Steve Velonis and Mark Sampsonis leave dazed.

The basketball team leaves hopping.

Mike Ryan leaves his supply of apples and oranges to anyone who wants them.

Donna Bailey leaves her life-savers.

Pam Cronin and Donna Bailey finally leave the yearbook room.

Jimmy Sweeney leaves with his shoes untied.

Anne Baron leaves screaming at her little sister - as usual.

Juana Todd leaves her mini-braids.

The Sha-Na-Na Revival leaves stro-o-olin to the malt shop.



*If you wish to reach the highest,
begin at the lowest.*

Syrus Maxims



Marcelina Abad
June Abbott
Patience Alexander
Beth Alexuk
Don Anderson

Elaine Ardini
Ed Arsenault
Steve Aslin
Manny Ataide
Charlene Ayers

Donna Bailey
Mark Baker
Linda Ball
Loretta Barbrick
Anne Baron

Nancy Barrett
Tom Barrett
Neil Barry
Sally Barry
Jody Bates

Stephanie Batsinelas
Nancy Bernard
Joe Bettencourt
Linda Bettencourt
Chris Bird

Mike Boardway
Patty Bornstein
James Bovio
Catherine Boulas
Judy Bowden





David Boyd
Janet Boyd
Judy Boyd
Carol Boylan
Leisa Boyle



Debbie Bradley
Maria Branquinho
Janice Breen
Mike Britt
Steve Brooks



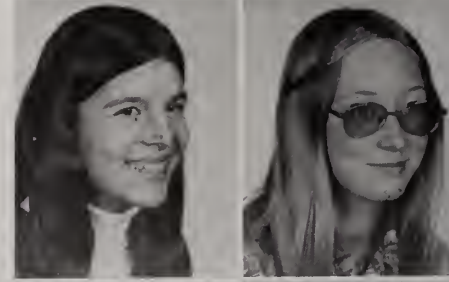
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Sue Broughton
Donna Budesky
Ron Bulger
Theresa Caputo



Elizabeth Burns
Tom Burns
Elizabeth Carey
John Carney
Jean Caron



Linda Caron
Bob Carpenter
James Carpenter
Cheryl Cataldo
Judy Cataldo



Daniel Cavanaugh
Gary Cavanaugh
Cindy Caverly
Jennifer Chandler
Denise Chenery



The first sigh of love

is the last of wisdom.

In my end

is my beginning

Mary Stewart



Rhonda Christ
Bob Church
Cathy Clocher
Robin Clopper
Joe Cole



Howard Coles
Michael Conrod
Dennis Conway
Andre Corbeil
Rick Cordeiro



Ronnie Cordeiro
Mary Coughlin
Gloria Covarrubias
Tom Crean
Debbie Cribbis



Maureen Cronan
Pam Cronin
Sue Crowell
Marion Currier
Donna Czarnecki



Denis Daigle
Kathy Daley
Scott Davidson
Jim Decoulas
Paul Denisco



Bill Desmond
Tom Doherty
Nancy Dolan
Mark Doria
Judy Doucette





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William Dow
Joe Dubie
Eileen Duff
Mary Dumas



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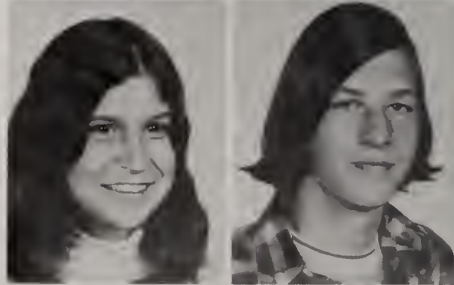
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Andrew Estabrooks
Mark Fall
Leo Fallon
Kelly Farrar



Ed Febonio
Alex Filopoulos
Sue Flynn
Dorene Foley
Don Fournier



Betty Foster
Debbie Gabrielski
Debbie Gagne
Donna Gagnon
Eddie Gagnon



Lisa Gainley
Steve Gallagher
Steve Galloway
Jill Gannon
Carolyn Gardner

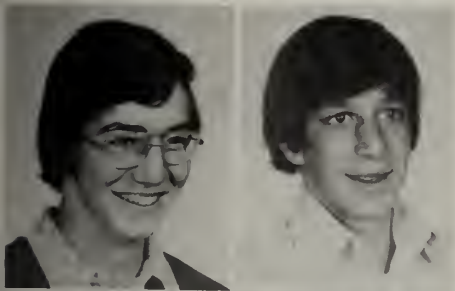


*The first twenty years are the longest half
of your life.*

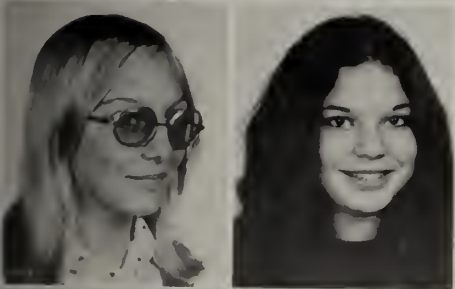
Robert Southey

*Things are never black or white,
they are black and white
and shades of gray matter.*

Paul Monka



Greg Gargas
Richard Gatti
Laurie Gerakaris
Kathie Gilbert
Jeanne Gillis



Laurie Girgus
Liz Glynos
Kathy Griffin
Sandi Guzofski
Mary Hackett



Ann Haidaczuk
Anne Hallinan
Rich Harding
Tim Hart
Gary Hayward



Gayle Hebert
Donna Heitner
Randy Hershoff
Cathy Hetherington
Tom Hicks



Steve Hiou
Mary Ann Hogan
Steve Hogan
Rocky Hopkins
Steve Hosker



Patti Ann Houlden
Barb Hubley
Bob Hudson
James Hurley
Kathy Irving





Carl Jackson
Cindy Jacques
Jody Hoague
John Jeffers
Ann Jones



Cindy Jones
Debbie Jones
Jon Kalivas
Steve Kalivas
John Kallas



Cindy Karolides
Darlene Kennedy
Richard Kennison
Laurie Keogh
Cindy Kessel



Paul Kilimonis
Sandy Kerkorian
Bunny Kolodziej
Joe Kolodziej
Dede Kostopoulos



Mike Kozak
Sue Krisko
Ed Kuklinski
Mike Labrie
June Langill



Janice Langley
Bob Langley
Joe Lavoie
Jean Lawrence
Billy Lawson



*Learning without thought
is labor lost.*

*Can we ever have too much
of a good thing?*

Miguel De Cervantes



Kyle Leavitt
Bill Lefas
Bob LeGault
Brian LeBlanc
Danielle LeBlanc



Mary LeBlanc
Nanette LeBlanc
Becky Lehto
Tom Leppanen
Danny Liakos



Peter Liberti
Susan Lindberg
James Little
Colleen Lonergan
David Lord



Robert Lord
Aurelio Loureiro
Cheryl Lovato
Linda Love
Linda Lubow



Debbie Lundergan
Julie Lunt
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Kevin Lyons
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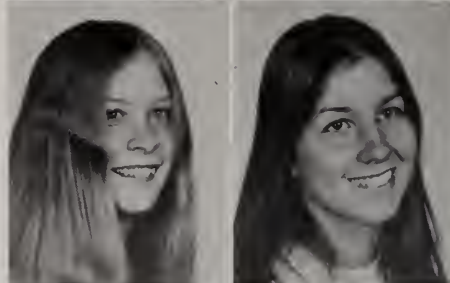




JoAnn Manos
Frank Marchesini
Dean Marchetti
Nina Marianos
Jim Martin



Debbie Mazzola
Doreen McCarthy
Cathy McCarthy
Dianne McCormick
Pat McDonald



Ellen McDonnell
Tom McDonough
Diane McDuff
Karen McGovern
Bella McIntyre



Chris McKenny
Jimmy McMahan
Maureen McMahan
Pat McNulty
John McOsker



Maura Meagher
Robert Mello
Frank Messina
Robert Micalizzi
Bob Milewska



Wanda Milewska
Sue Mogavero
Debbie Moore
Jim Moore
Brian Morrissey



*Saying is one thing,
and doing is another.*

Michel De Montaigne

*I hear the little children of the wind
crying solitary in lonely places.*

William Sharp



Kathy Morton
Ed Mulherin
Erin Murphy
Phil Murphy
Rich Murphy



Sharon Muse
Bob Musial
Vicki Myers
Joe Nally
Leslie Nally



Ann Nicholas
Martin Norwood
Teresa Nowicki
Linda Nowlan
Manny Nunes



Jim O'Brien
Scott O'Brien
Pat O'Dowd
Patty O'Hara
Paul O'Keefe



Moe O'Shea
Bob O'Donnell
Satoru Orlandella
John Osepchuk
Lori Osgood



Norma Ouellette
Frances Pacillo
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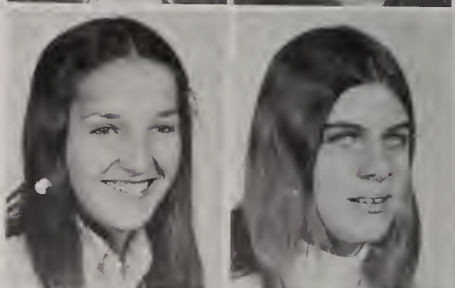
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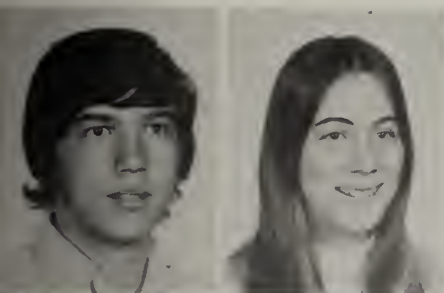


*I have never seen a greater monster or
miracle in the world than myself.*

Montaigne

Men are most apt to believe

What they least understand.



Robert Quadros
Ellen Quinlan
Diana Rechetnuk
Dawn Rezendes
Paul Rheahme



Debbie Riley
Mary Rizzone
Donna Rizzotti
Sharon Roberts
Michael Roche



Cindy Roney
Missy Rose
Tom Rougier
Jeffrey Rousseau
Susan Routses



Ed Roy
Debbie Russell
Mike Ryan
Bill Ryan
Cheryl Saad



Maureen Saffer
Dana Sampson
Mark Sampsonis
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Donna Sanger



Ronnie Santos
Helene Scangas
Sophia Shahnainan
Ginger Shea
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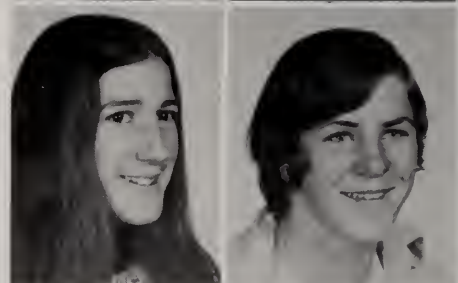
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Donna Sperounis
Joe Spinale
Laurie St. Pierre
Billy St. Pierre



Paula Steeves
Steve Stephanides
Bill Stevens
Donna Stone
Joanne Stratis



A closed mouth catches no flies.
Cervantes

In youth we learn

in age we understand.



John Studley
David Sullivan
Jean Sullivan
John Sullivan
Bill Sullivan



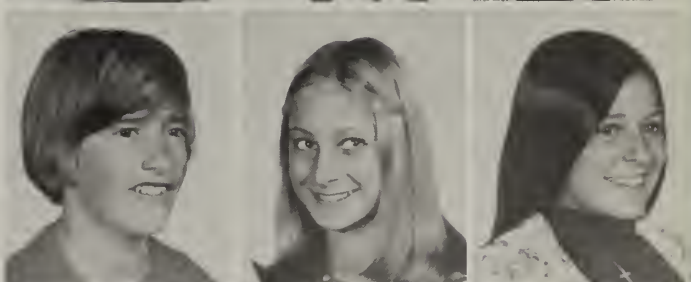
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Julie Zielski
Joan Zorzonello



Debbie Stone
Ken Anslono



Pamela Hansbary, Richard Voci, James Stratos, Wayne Bertolatti, Robin Downey



Mark Fabrizio, Pericles Tzortzis, Frank Giannopoulos

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Junior Adams
Craig Bellville
Ronny Bettano
Nick Bezemes
Peter Bogash
Tina Bovio
Bill Bowley
Tim Bresnahan
Dan Brolewicz
Kevin Burge
Paula Cameron
Carles Castanheirra
John Chigas
Mary Coan
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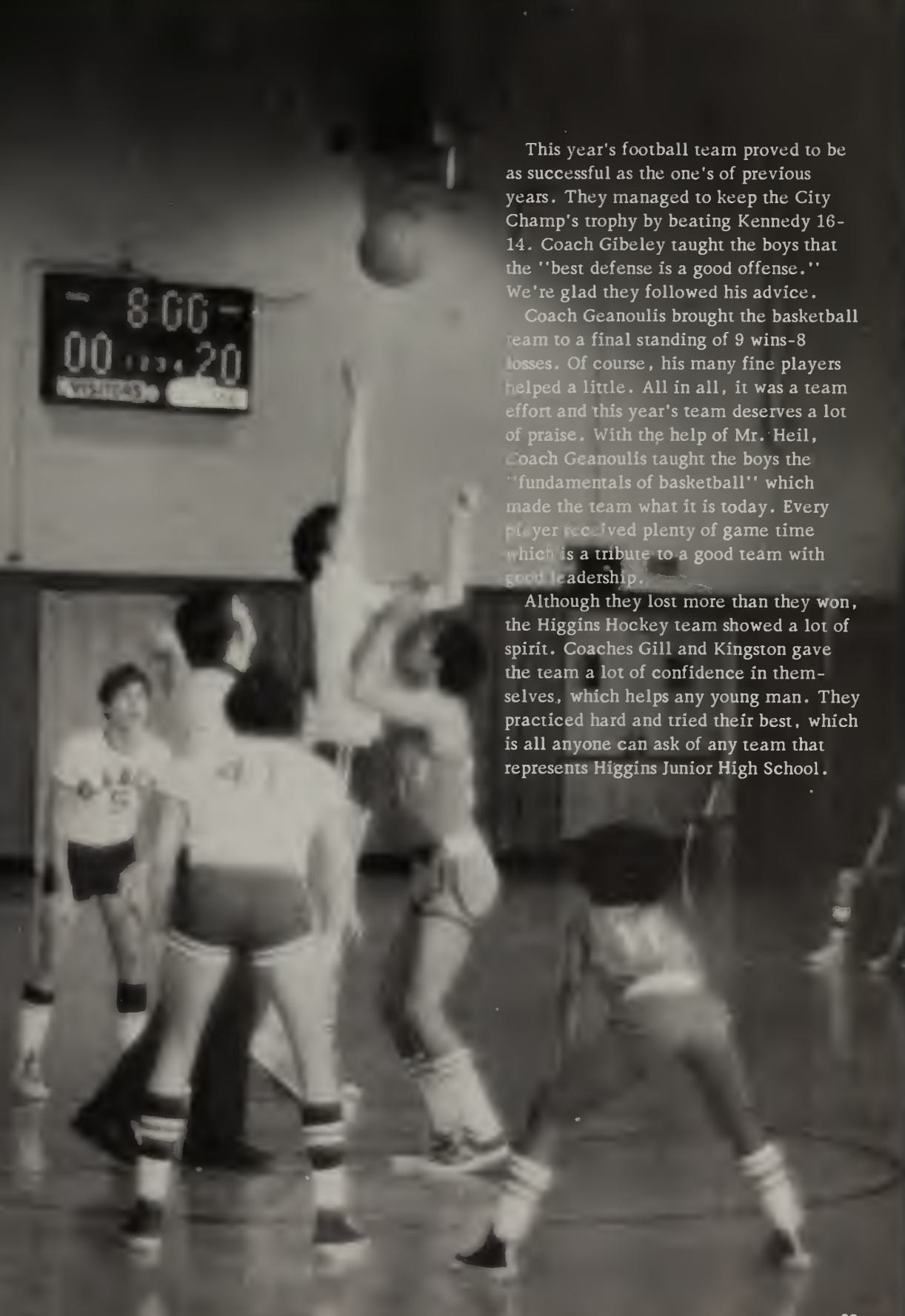
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Linda Riley
David Rose
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Jeff Sparks
Dave Sullivan
Jean Sullivan
Ed Surman
Glen Thomas
Colleen Tobin
Dave Tracchia
Ed Tracchia
Maria Vieira
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I DIDN'T HAVE
A THING TO
WEAR



Sports Scoreboard

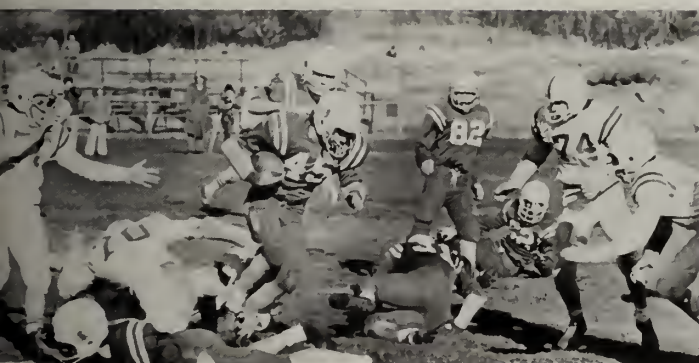


This year's football team proved to be as successful as the one's of previous years. They managed to keep the City Champ's trophy by beating Kennedy 16-14. Coach Gibeley taught the boys that the "best defense is a good offense." We're glad they followed his advice.

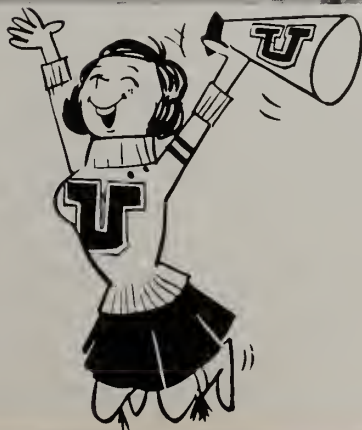
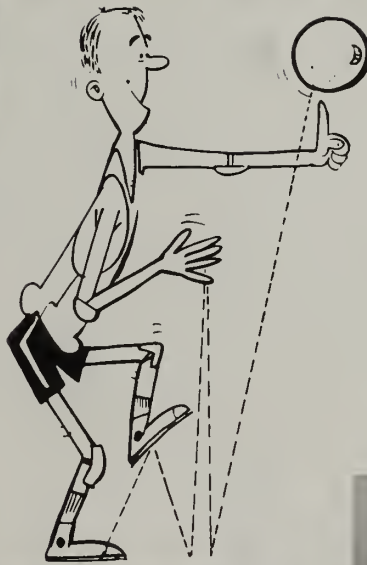
Coach Geanoulis brought the basketball team to a final standing of 9 wins-8 losses. Of course, his many fine players helped a little. All in all, it was a team effort and this year's team deserves a lot of praise. With the help of Mr. Heil, Coach Geanoulis taught the boys the "fundamentals of basketball" which made the team what it is today. Every player received plenty of game time which is a tribute to a good team with good leadership.

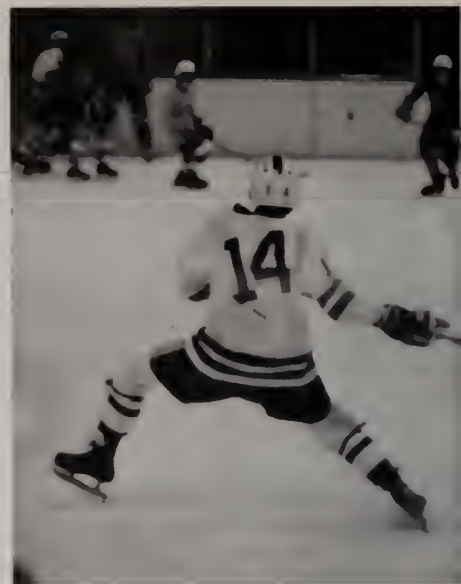
Although they lost more than they won, the Higgins Hockey team showed a lot of spirit. Coaches Gill and Kingston gave the team a lot of confidence in themselves, which helps any young man. They practiced hard and tried their best, which is all anyone can ask of any team that represents Higgins Junior High School.













What would you say if I told you . . .

Ken Anslone broke up with Dee to go out with "Ee"

Danielle LeBlanc got a 65% on her biology notes.

Becky Lehto couldn't play sports.

I saw Junior Adams in a barber shop.

Sue Broughton drowned.

Kelly Farrah and Jody Heague didn't hang around together.

Bob O'Donnell didn't talk in civics.

Pam Cronin and Anne Baron REALLY wanted to be editors of the yearbook.

Brian Douglas didn't like all the girls - all the time.

Steve Galloway asked a sensible question.

Mr. Faria won a laughing contest.

Mrs. Vounessea was serious over the P.A. System.

Mr. Gillen was really bald.

Mrs. Rossetti stopped saying "etc."

The Math Club, Science Club, and Stamp and Coin Club all met in a phone booth in Peabody Square.

Debbie Price didn't know how to do gymnastics.

Denise Pellitier and Nina Marianos didn't write notes in algebra.

Julie Zielski hit a sour note.

Mr. Blute lost his lab coat.

Patience Alexander lost her patience.

Neil Barry missed a basket.

Miss Conde got "wiped out".

Mr. Osborne told a funny joke.

Diane McDuff wore a dress.

Nanette LeBlanc got to English on time.

Rich Gatti couldn't play basketball.

The Higgins baseball team got any recognition.

Writing these things was easy.

Ed Mulherin ever lost his temper.

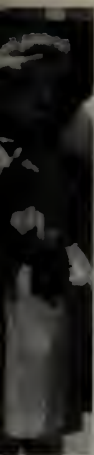
Scott Davidson's middle name is Joseph.

Ken Eliuk got a wiffle.

Mr. Reardon stayed healthy for a whole year.

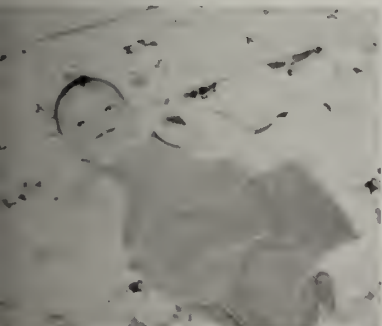
Mr. Manning uses Grecian Formula 16.





Brian Douglas

Rhonda Christ



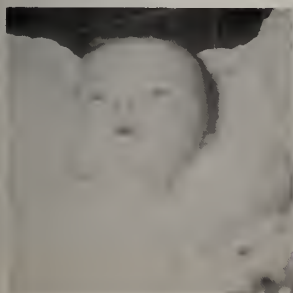
Pattie Bornstein



Norma Ouellette



Cathy Boulas



Jean Caron



Pat McDonald



Debbie Mazzola



Laurie St. Pierre



Elaine Ardini



Anne Baron



Jodie Bates



Rich Harding



Denise Pelletier



Paula Steeves



Kathy Daley



Valerie Swain

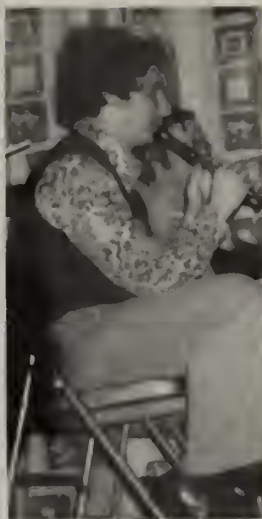


Pattie Coombs





Sneaky Shots



Boosters

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Boy's Leaders Club



1st Row: C. Jackson, R. Santos, S. Hiou, R. Carpenter, G. Hayward, M. Conrad, S. Orlandella. 2nd Row: M. Kozak, J. Kalivas, E. Arsenault, J. Tomaz, J. Provencher, M. Pappadopoulos, S. Kalivas, J. Sullivan, N. Barry, G. Gargas.

Guidance Counselors



Mr. O'Shea, Mrs. Mattorocchia, Mr. Arnoldy. Missing: Miss Tocken.

Secretaries



Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Vounessea, Mrs. Davidson.

Teacher Aides



1st Row: Mrs. Mistretta, Mrs. Nessen, Mrs. Gill. 2nd Row: Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Fecteau, Mrs. Horgan, Mrs. Rossi, Mrs. Amaral.



Dear Murph,

Considering that you missed the class Reunion because you're stranded on the moon, I decided I'd write and tell you about it.

Mark Doria managed to make the Patriots along with Steve Brooks - who is still running (didn't Spectrum say he'd be running all his life?)

Yes, Spectrum is still in printing, though people wonder how it managed to survive without the great editor, Scott Davidson, who is now a big name in . . . um, ah . . . well, a big name.

Rich Harding and Kenny Anslono have opened up a barber shop called the "Long and Short of It".

Bob LeGault and Mike Conrad are in a serious discussion right now. Pam Cronin is watching closely, looks like Bob is still in the matchmaking business. Don't worry Pam, I mean it was ten years, but Mike's eyes still twinkle.

Manny Ataide and Bob Tuttle are working for the School Department now and it took them a few weeks to discover where Higgins was located.

Neil Barry is bouncing up and down in his seat right now. Well he always was crazy about basketball. I guess he still is . . . crazy, I mean.

Mary Ann Hogan and Brian Douglas seem to be hitting it off. Well Hogie sure is hitting!!!

Joe Doo-bee is now the teacher of Romper-Room. Some of his prize pupils are Cindy Karolides, June Langill and Sandy Kerkorian.

It is surprising that so many of our students have opened up restaurants. Peabody is blessed with Pare's de Paris, Hogan's Hamburgers, Sperounis' Spaghetti and Zakas' Zucchini Kitchen.

Ralph Snow and Paul White have opened up an apple stand in Peabody Square. They have seven tiny men as partners. However, we don't think that "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" is a good name for an apple stand.

Beth Maguire became the first Miss Peabody Square. That's quite a long jump from football Queen.

Bill Desmond, the well known electrician, shocked the whole class by giving "A Final Salute".

John Chigas and Rhonda Christ are stars on Broadway today and are playing the lead in "Chigas Christ Superstar".

The class gave congratulations to Senators, Norma Ouellette, Bill Dow, Carolyn Gardner, who have voted to impeach President Nixon post humorously, many years after he had died of a staff infection and tapeworm.

This reunion has been held up waiting for late arrivals such as Nanette LeBlanc, Tom Burns, and Joanne Sheehan. (So what else is new.)

It seems that some people have tried to come incognito;

Debbie Gagné has a wiffle, Stephanie Batsineles registered as Sylvia.

Kathy Daley now has black, curly hair. The Boyds came disguised as each other.

The friends that were once departed and now regret it are:

Liane Thorpe and Debbie Price. Dawn Rezendes and Julia Lunt, Debbie Gagne and Mo Saffer, Scott Davidson and Patience Alexander, Debbie Cribbis and Gloria Covarrubias, Mark Sampsonis and Mike Ryan just to name a few.

At the head table, a few members of the faculty of '74 are seated:

Mr. O'Connor leads off the reunion with a few words. (A few thousand might be closer.)

Mr. Blute, alias Sir Vival, is wearing his L.A.B. coat, only after ten years it's a little yellow.

Miss Conde and Miss Tirro have grown a record breaking 2 inches.

Linda Ball married a guy named Zinkavich Oon. Now her name is Linda Ball-

Oon. By the way, her husband is full of hot air!

Chris Bird works at the Stoneham Zoo in the aviary. She feels quite at home there.

Mary Coughlin and Jody Bates are now in the modeling "Clé" business. They made a statue of our famous, fantabulous Mr. Blute.

Mrs. Lampropoulos isn't here anymore. She has moved to Spain, much to the annoyance of Steve Velonis and Mark Sampsonis. Face it guys it was for the best!

Mr. Gillen's hair isn't in a pony-tail for this special occasion. Maybe that's why several seats around him are vacant.

There's one sad thing about this reunion. Mr. Osborne died. I guess his jokes got too sick.

Some of the people who are still haunted by their last names are:

Mark Baker owns a bakery. Bob Church has become a priest.

Tom Burns rides on Engine 9. Darlene Soule is a jazz musician.

Michael Walker owns a bus company. "Zaks 5th Avenue".

Steve Correia doesn't want to make a lifetime of anything.

Marion Currier owns a stable. Joe Cole owns a mine.

Jay Holleran is still always yelling. Wayne McDonald owns a farm.

Patti Holden opened a dairy farm. Carl Jackson makes it the Jackson 6.

Kathy Morton has become a queen of a country. She only "reigns" when it pours.

Donna Sanger was a singer. Paul Slavin is now master.

Ed Tracchia is a throat doctor. Debbie Mazzola melted. Well, that's all the news for now. See ya at the next reunion!

The Reunion Committee







The Way We Were

*Memories light the corners of my mind.
Misty water color memories, of the way we were.
Scattered pictures of the smiles we left behind,
Smiles we gave to one another, for the way we were.
Can it be that it was all so simple then,
Or has time rewritten every line?
If we had the chance to do it all again,
Tell me would we?
Could we?
Memories may be beautiful, and yet,
What's too painful to remember.
We simply chose to forget.
So it's the laughter, we will remember,
Whenever we remember, The Way We Were.*

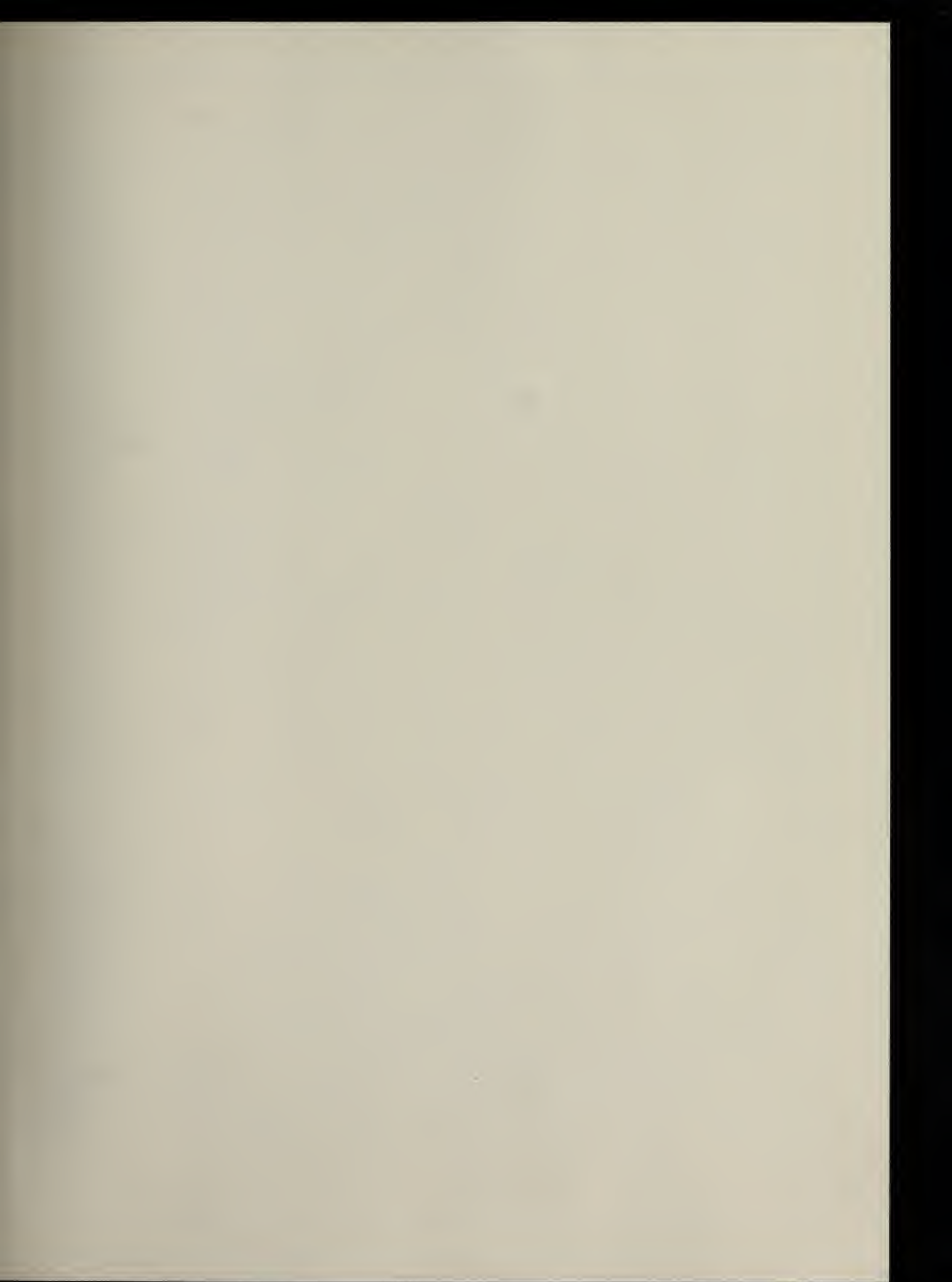


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